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Re: The Southern New England Telephone Company's Response For Billed Party Preference, CC Docket No. 92-77

The Southern New England Telephone Company (SNET) is making this response to Mr. Mark Nadel's request concerning SNET's cost estimates for the provision of Billed Party Preference (BPP). SNET estimated in its Comments filed on July 7, 1993, CC Docket

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| Cost Components | Cost <u>Capital</u> | s (\$000) <u>Expense</u> | Per Year (\$000) Recurring Expenses |
|---|------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Facilities | 6.0 | | 1.8 |
| Operator Services System Costs | 13.0 | 7.1 | 3.9 |
| Automated Alternate Billing Services | 1.0 | . 5 | .3 |
| End Office Right To Use Fees (signaling upgrades) |) 2.1 | | |
| STP | | | . 9 |
| Total Costs: | \$20.0 | \$ <u>9.7</u> | \$ <u>6.9</u> |

In addition to the above estimated costs there are other costs which have not been included which SNET will incur. The above cost estimate does not include costs for bill inserts, customer solicitation, business office queries, operator wages to support BPP call volumes.